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H. W. JOHNS' LIQUID PAINTS.

ASBESTOS

HESE PAINTS are composed exclusively of the best and purest materials, combined on different principles from any other Liquid or Mixed Paints. They have been thoroughly tested in all parts of the world and have been found to withstand the severest tests of elimatic changes, see-air, and other trying exposures where the best white lead has failed; and the universal testimony of those who have used them is sufficient proof that they are, in every respect, strictly reliable and first class paints of a higher grade than has ever before been offered to the public for structural purposes, and second to none in richness and permanency of color, beauty of finish, durability, uniformity, and all characteristics which are requisite to form a perfect ornamental-protective covering. They possess an elastic quality never before attained in any paint, and are prepared ready for the brush, but may be thinned if desired, with pure, raw linseed oil.

None but the purest Linseed Oil and the best pigments known enter into the composition of these paints, and they contain no water, alkalies, benzine, or other deleterious or useless adulterations; we do not, therefore, compete in prices with the cheap paints with which the market is flooded and which are composed largely of

water and other inexpensive ingredients.

It is a well known fact that the more intimately the ingredients of a paint are combined, the more brilliant, solid and enduring will be the colors produced, and we call attention to the difference in this respect between our Liquid Paints and all other prepared paints; the best of the latter consist of pigments ground in oil, and afterwards simply mixed with oil, spirits of turpentine, etc. The entire body of our Paints is first ground in oil, and then mixed to the proper consistency, after which the whole is ground through fine mills; by this process alone can the pigments and oils be so intimately combined as to produce a perfect paint. No other paints excepting "coach" or "artists" colors, are so thoroughly mixed and ground as ours.

We also call attention to the superior "covering" properties of these paints, two coats of which form a body and finish equal to three or four coats of ordinary paint.

One gallon will cover from 250 to 275 square feet, two coats.

The average cost of applying paint is from two to four times as much as the cost of the paint itself, and when this fact is taken into consideration, it would seem questionable economy to expend from fifty to one hundred dollars for labor in applying twenty-five or thirty dollars worth of inferior paint, which, after a year or so, affords neither protection nor ornament, when the use of a strictly first-class paint costing twenty per cent. more (or say five or six dollars more for sufficient to paint a small house) would insure a serviceable and always pleasing result for, at least, two or three times as long.

These Paints are sold by U. S. Standard Gallon Measure (231 cubic inches); i.e. our packages contain from 8 to 12 per cent. more paint than is usually sold for the same quantity; and they weigh from 10 to 20 per cent. more to the gallon than any others.

Our manufacturing facilities being the most extensive and complete of any in the world, we shall continue to spare no pains or expense to make our Liquid Paints what we claim them to be, viz:

"THE STANDARD PAINTS FOR STRUCTURAL PURPOSES."

We call especial attention to our *Outside* White, and our *Egg Shell Gloss* White for inside work. When ordering White, state if wanted for outside or inside work.

The Use none but pure raw linseed oil for thinning these Paints.

As all colors are affected by smilight, our samples should be exposed a few hours to the light, by which the shades are perfected.

Instructions for using, testimonials, etc., mailed free upon application.

H. W. JOHNS' ASSESTOS LIQUID PAINTS.

These Samples are Painted with our Regular and only grade of "Asbestos" Liquid Paints.

NO. 82, OAK TAN. NO. 83, DUTCH YELLOW. NO. 80, FRENCH YELLOW. NO. 79, COLONIAL YELLOW.

NO. 71, DK. TERRA COTTA. NO. 88, TUSCAN YELLOW. NO. 73, POMPEIAN RED. NO. 75, TERRA COTTA.



We manufacture any desired shade to order. Be particular to order Paints by the numbers of the desired shades,

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H. W. JOHNS' AS BESTOS LIQUID PAINTS.

These Samples are Painted with our Regular and only grade of "Asbestos" Liquid Paints.



We also manufacture Inside and Outside White, Black, Indian Red, Vermilion, Etc. Be particular to order Paints by the numbers of the desired shades.

H. W. JOHNS' ASSESTOS LIQUID PAINTS.

These Samples are Painted with our Regular and only grade of "Asbestos" Liquid Paints.

NO. 55, NILE GREEN.

NO. 51, MAROON.

NO. 56, LT. CHOCOLATE.

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NO. 53, BRONZE GREEN. NO. 52, DK. OLIVE DRAB. NO. 54, SEAL BROWN. NO. 58, "ORIENTAL" DRAB.



NO. 59, GRAY STONE.

NO. 60, DARK RED. NO. 67, BRONZE YELLOW. NO. 68, LT. OLIVE GREEN.



NO. 62, DARK GREEN.

NO. 64, OLIVE.

NO. 65, DARK BROWN. NO. 66, LIGHT BROWN.



We also manufacture Inside and Outside White, Black, Indian Red, Vermilion, Etc. Be particular to order Paints by the numbers of the desired shades.

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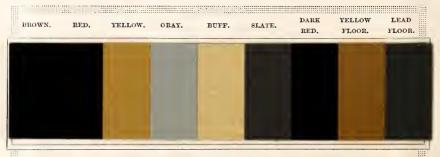
NO. 39, LILAC. NO. 48, LIGHT GREEN. NO. 40, APPLE BLOSSOM. NO. 49, LIGHT BLUE.

NO. 50, BRIGHT RED. NO. 23, DK. BLUE. NO. 10, STANDARD GREEN. NO. 41, LIGHT LEAD.

Be particular to order Paints by the numbers of the desired shades. We manufacture any desired shade to

H. W. JOHNS' ROOF AND RAILWAY, AND FLOOR PAINTS.

PREPARED READY FOR THE BRUSH.



We also manufacture Cream White.

H. W. JOHNS' ROOF & RAILWAY PAINTS.

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HESE Paints are prepared ready for use and possess a very elastic body. They are therefore less liable to injury, and have proven to be the best and most economical paints ever produced for painting and preserving Tin and other Roofs, Railroad Buildings, Bridges, Freight Cars, Steamboat Decks, Boats, Out-Buildings, Fences, Gas Holders, and other iron and rough wood-work.

They are prepared ready for use, in eight colors. See Sample Card on preceding page. One Gallon will cover about 350 to 400 square feet, one coat.

**To Special colors will be made to order for Railroad Companies and other

large consumers.

H. W. JOHNS' ASBESTOS FIRE-PROOF PAINTS.

These Paints are composed of Asbestos and other fire-proof ingredients, prepared ready for use in white and light tints, exclusively for insude rough wood work of Factories, Railroad Bridges, Boiler Rooms, Cotton-Gin Houses, Warehouses, Theatres, Cellars, Stables, etc., for which purposes they are as durable as ordinary oil paints, and afford a valuable protection against sparks, einders, or light flames. They can be easily applied, and produce a hard, smooth finish.

H. W. JOHNS' LIQUID COACH BLACK.

This article is prepared ready for use of the best and most durable materials, especially for re-painting old Carriages, Wagons, Carts, Sleighs, Buggies, etc. It can be easily applied, dries rapidly with a firm, hard gloss, and does not require to be either rubbed or varnished.

H. W. JOHNS' FINE COLORS, IN OIL.

These Colors are ground in pure Linseed Oil, for Painters and general decorative purposes; and are superior in quality and fineness to any others made for similar uses.

H. W. JOHNS' FINE COACH COLORS.

These Colors are ground in best Coach Japan, are warranted uniform in quality and color, and will dry flat and evenly at once.

H. W. JOHNS' LIQUID DRYER.

This article is superior to any Dryer in the market in siceative qualities, lightness of color and uniformity. It possesses double the strength of any other Liquid Dryer, is suitable for all linseed-oil paints, and will not discolor the most delicate tints. No other Dryer should be used in our paints.

H. W. JOHNS' VARNISHES.

Extra Furniture Varnish.
No. 1
No. 1 Wood Preservative.
Spar Varnish.
Pure Orange Shellac.

Floor Varnish. Brown Japan. Tarpentine Japan. Coach Japan. Asbestos Wood Filler, etc.

H. W. JOHNS' IRON-OXIDE PAINT. DRY, OR GROUND IN OIL.

Is especially adapted for painting and preserving Roofs, Barns, Fences, Bridges, Outbuildings, Tanks, Stills, Machinery and all kinds of Tin, Iron, Brick or Wood-work. In color it is a rich maroon, is ground very fine, mixes readily with raw or boiled oil, and forms an elastic, durable Coating that will neither crack nor chalk.

STRICTLY PURE RAW LINSEED OIL.

Adulterated and inferior grades of Oil are sold to such an extent that, to insure the use of good oil in thinning our Paints and Colors, we will in future, supply nsers of our Paints and Colors only, with strictly pure raw Linseed Oil at New York Market prices, in bbls., adding cost of packages for smaller quantities.

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